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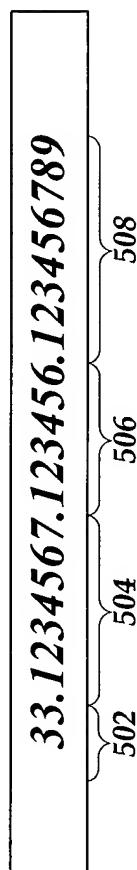
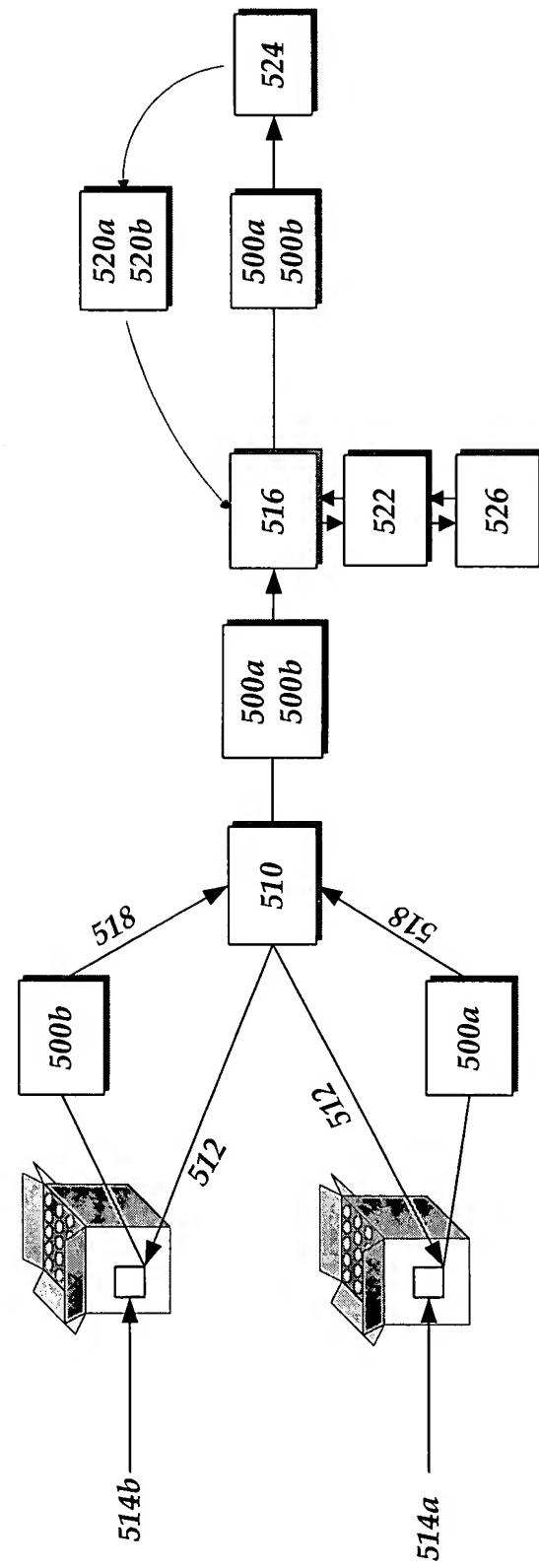


Fig. 2 (Prior Art)



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Fig. 3 (Prior Art)

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Subnet Prefix 602		Interface ID 608	
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Fig. 5

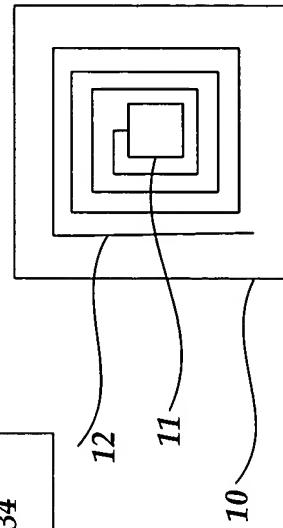


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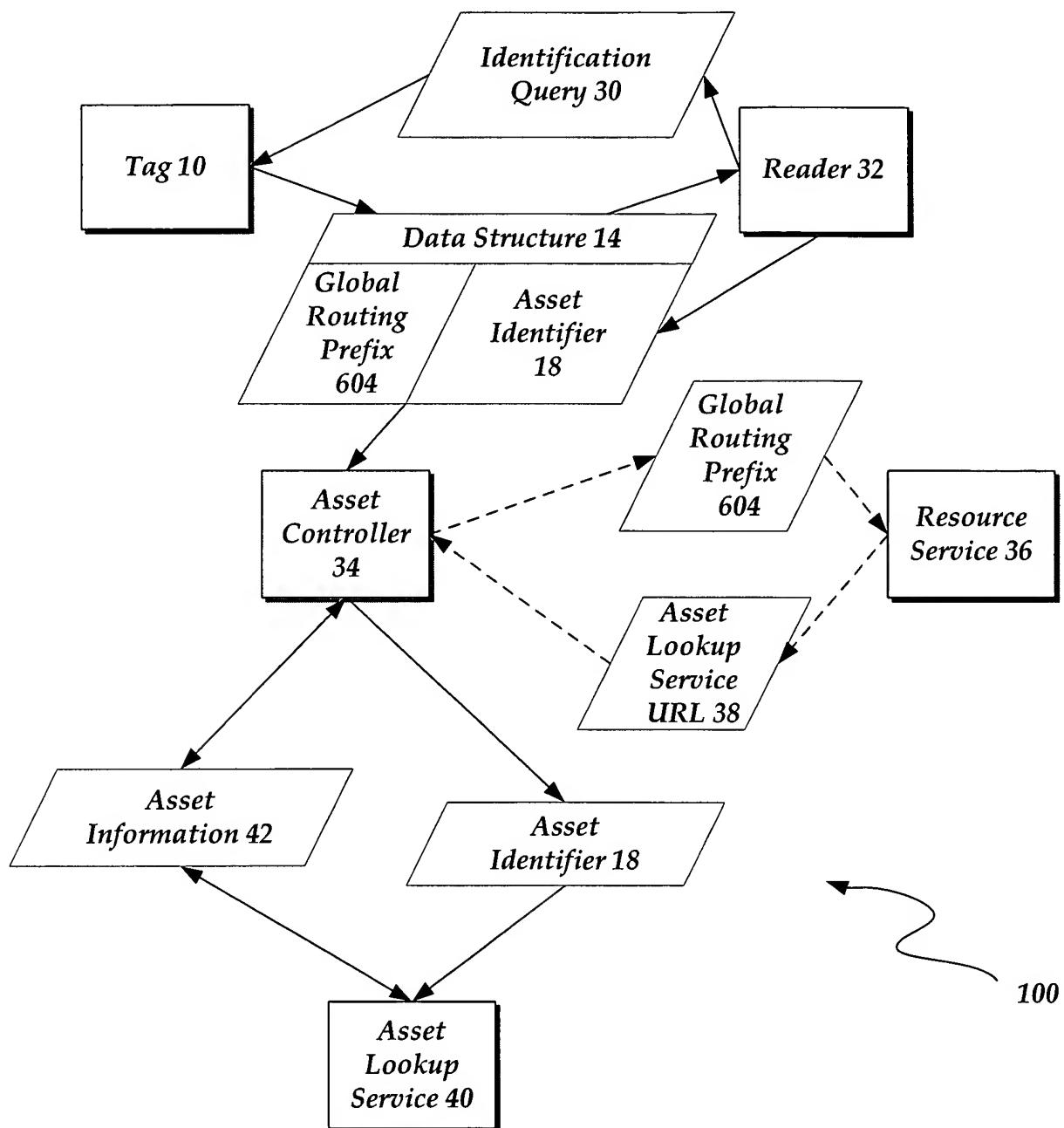


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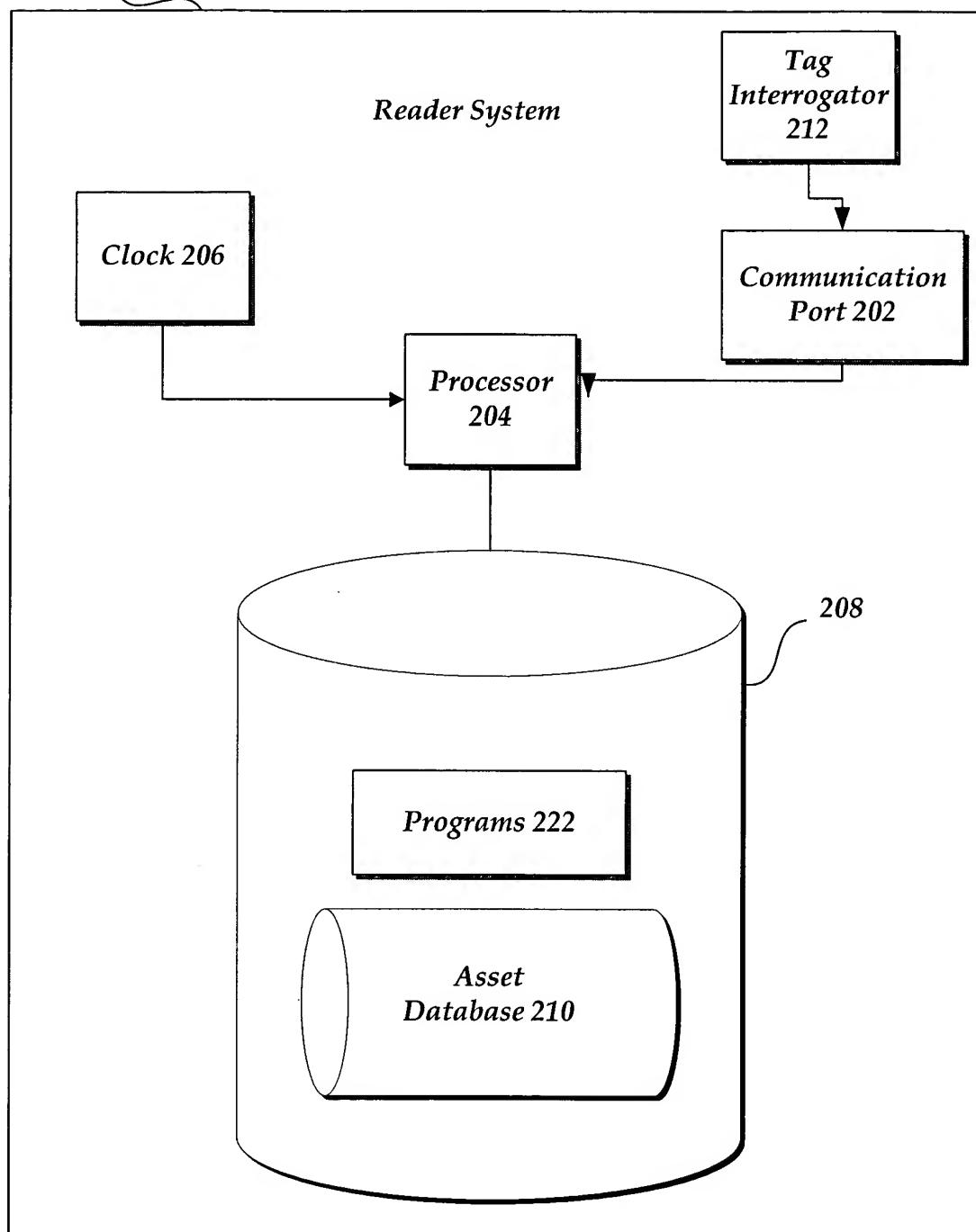


Fig. 7

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3FFE:2900:D005 ABCDEF ABCDEF1234 Windows 95®

3FFE:2900:D005 ABCDEF 1A2B3C4D5E Windows XP®

3FFE:FFFF 123ABC A1B2C3D455 Short Sleeve Polo shirt

Global Routing Prefix 604		Asset Identifier 18		Model 254	Size 256	Color 258	Asset Manufacturer 260	Asset Manager 261
Asset Type 22	Serial Number 24							
3FFE:2900:D005	ABCDEF	ABCDEF1234	Windows 95®	Personal			Microsoft Corp.	Gateway, Inc.
3FFE:2900:D005	ABCDEF	1A2B3C4D5E	Windows XP®	Multiple User			Microsoft Corp.	Microsoft Corp. Corp.
3FFE:FFFF	123ABC	A1B2C3D455	Short Sleeve Polo shirt	Large	Red		Polo Ralph Lauren Corp.	Nordstrom, Inc.

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Asset Lookup Service URL 38

Location 262	Temp 264	Manufacturing Date 266	Expiration Date 268	Asset Weight 270
Sioux City, ND	68 F	05/01/95	00/00/00	12 oz.
Redmond, WA	68 F	03/12/03	00/00/00	12 oz.
Los Angeles, CA	68 F	11/28/98	00/00/00	12 oz.

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Fig. 8

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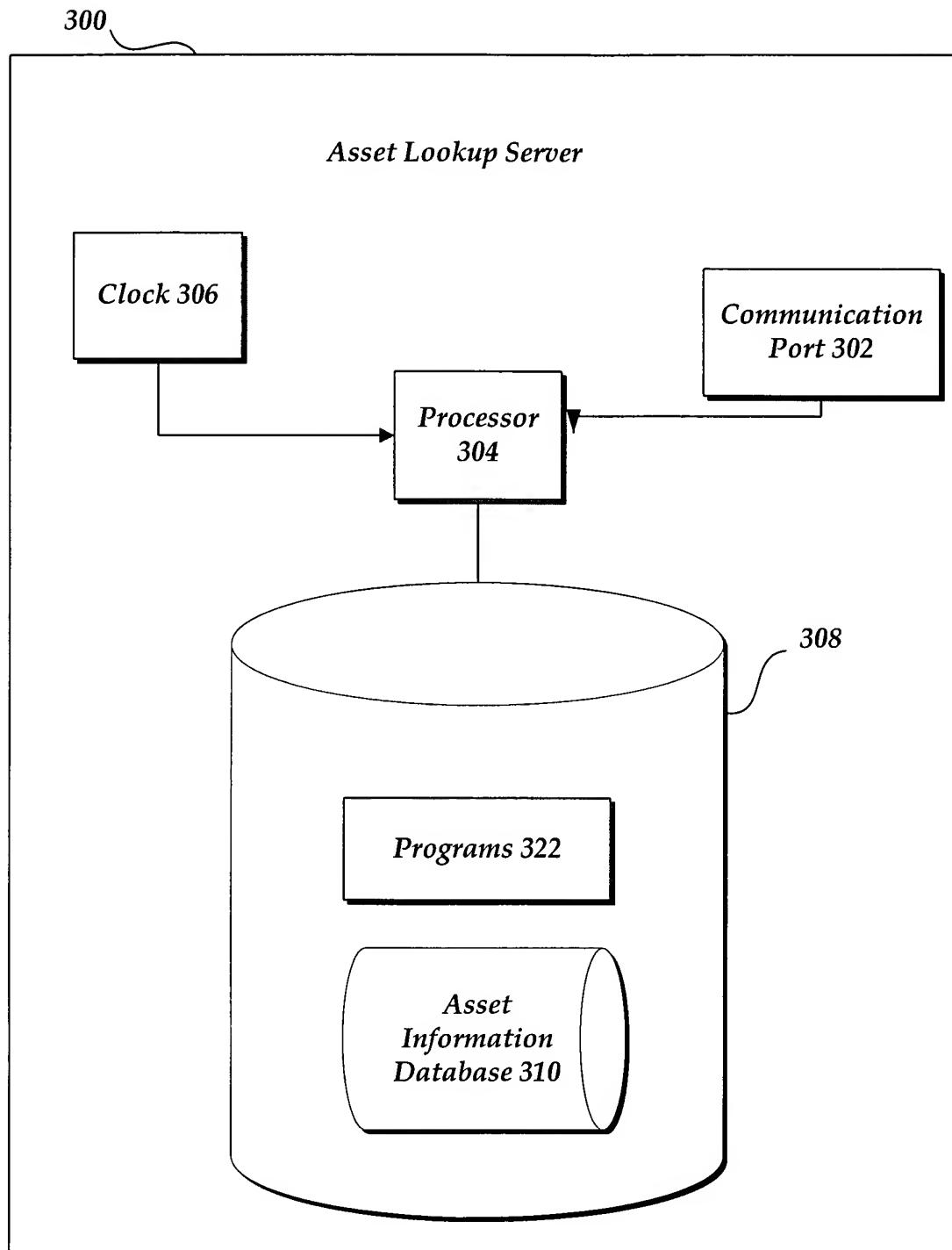


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ABCDEF	1A2B3C4D5E	Windows XP®	Multiple User		Microsoft Corp.	Microsoft Corp.
123ABC	A1B2C3D455	Short Sleeve Polo Shirt	Large	Red	Polo Ralph Lauren Corp.	Nordstrom, Inc.

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Location 262	Temp 264	Manufacturing Date 266	Expiration Date 268	Asset Weight 270
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Redmond, WA	68 F	03/12/03	00/00/00	12 oz.
Los Angeles, CA	68 F	11/28/98	00/00/00	12 oz.

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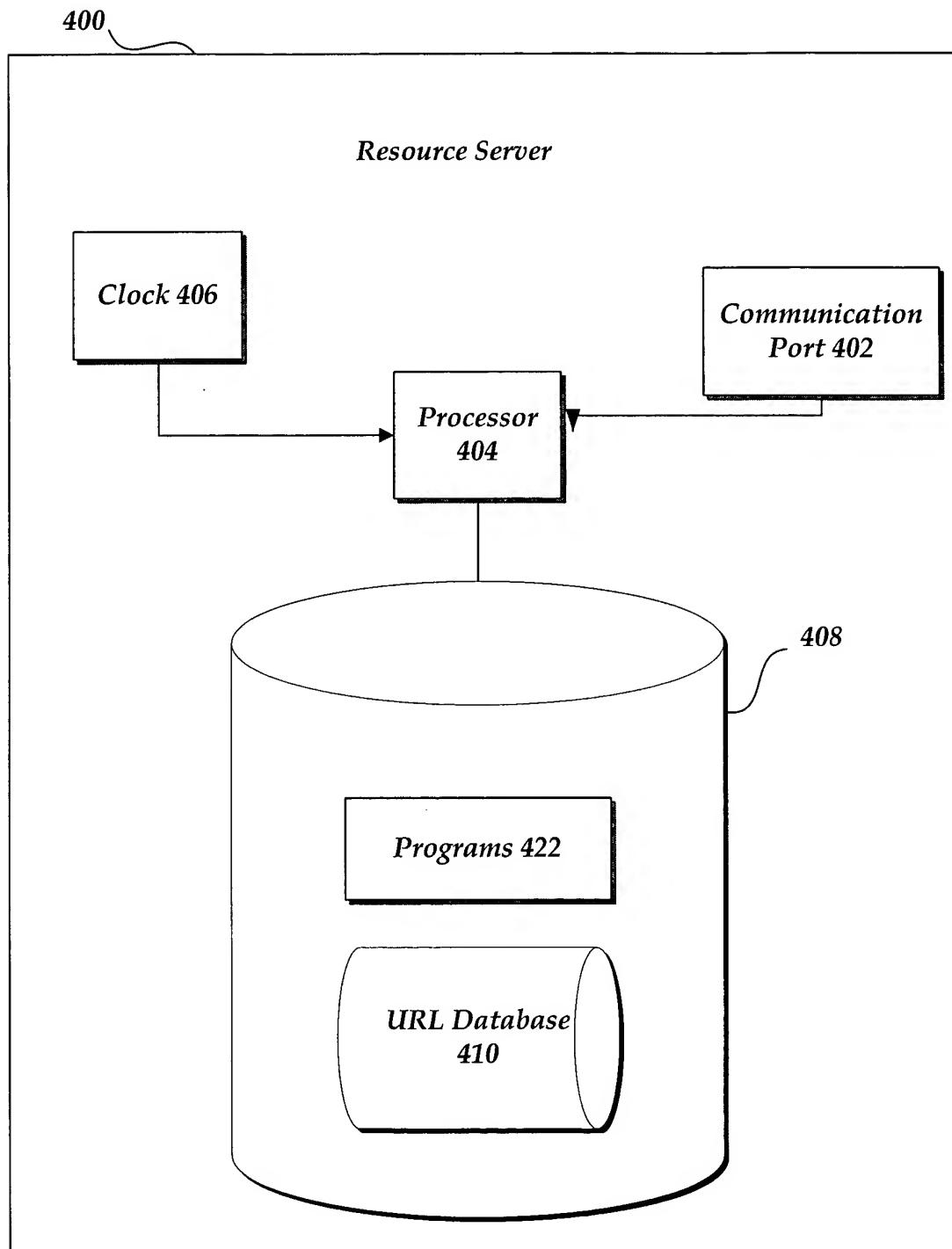


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3FFE:2900:D005	3FFE:2900:D005:231DA:002A:00FF:FE28:9C5A
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Fig. 12

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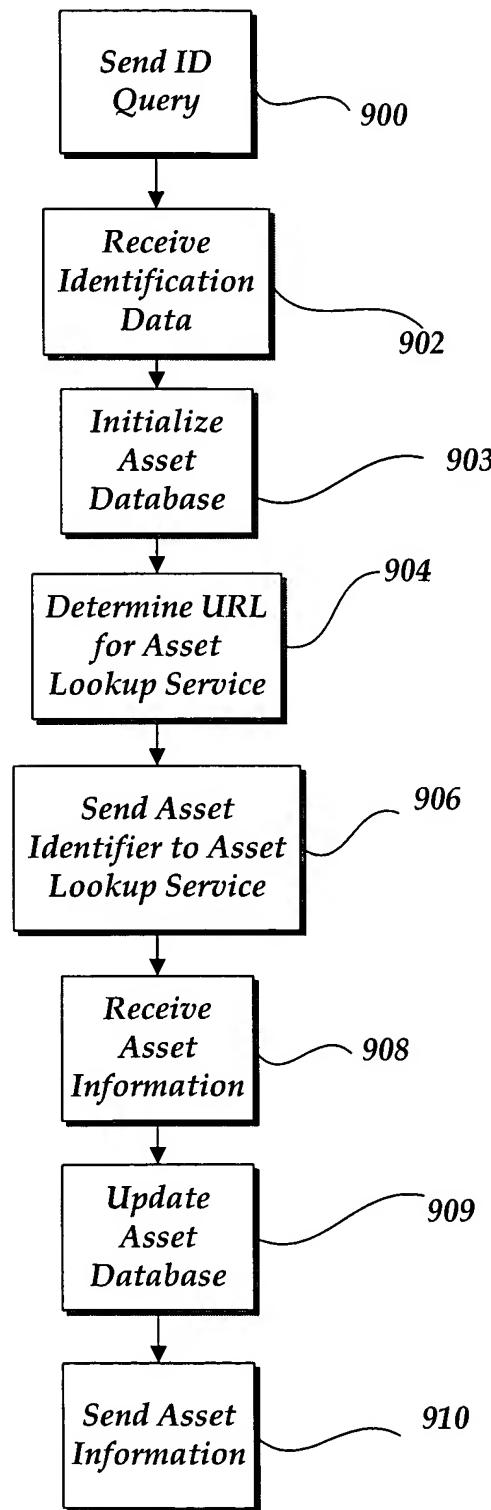


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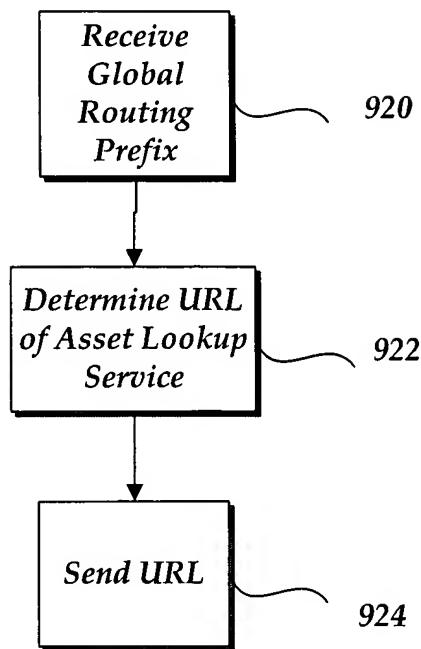


Fig. 14

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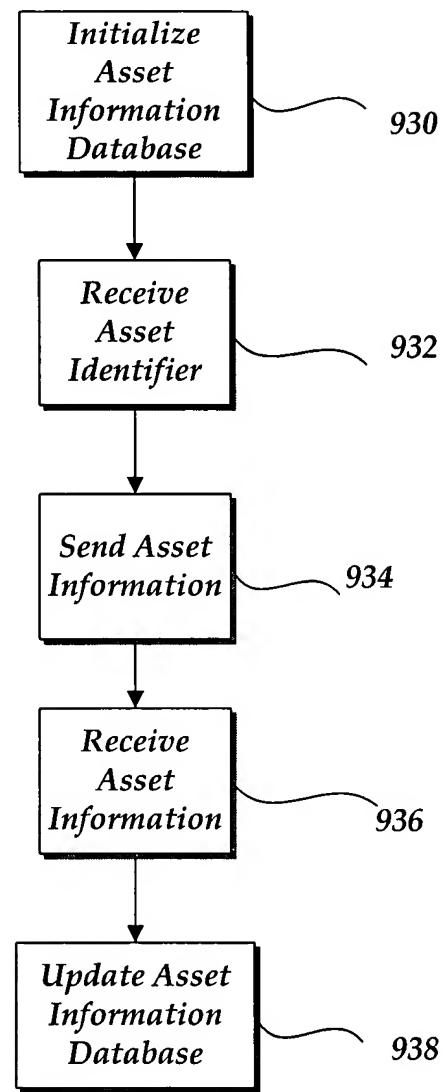


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